

ADMINISTRATION'S PROGRAM GIVEN TO CONGRESS

"UNCLE JIM"
PANKHURST'S
AGAIN ALONEHis "Daughter," Mary
Brackus, Died at the
Hospital Monday

"Uncle Jimmie" Pankhurst of Temperance Hill, near Amboy, is alone again, and despite his hale and hearty personality as he approaches the eighty-fifth mile-stone of life, his head is again bowed in grief. Miss Mary Brackus, his housekeeper, who has occupied a highly important place in the comfortable Pankhurst home for the past nine years, following her reply to an advertisement in Chicago dailies to come to the Pankhurst home at Temperance Hill to be a companion to "Uncle Jimmie" and his aged wife, has passed on. Her death occurred at the Dixon public hospital Monday following a most serious operation.

Mary, as she was known to many, was deeply devoted to her benefactor, "Uncle Jimmie." Nine years ago the second of January, Mary, who has been in the United States only 12 years, came from Chicago to the Pankhurst farm, in response to an advertisement. In appreciation of her coming to be a companion to the aged couple at their death she was to receive \$10,000. She, however, was not the first to answer the appeal. The first applicant, Mary Smith, soon tired of the peace and quiet of the country life and returned to Chicago, where the hustle and hurry of city life had drawn her. The cozy country home at Temperance Hill, which had been cheered by the presence of the young woman, again yearned for youth. A second appeal brought the application of Mary Brackus, 22-year-old Hungarian girl, who was without a relative in the United States. She had been in America but three years, working as a domestic and drifted to friends in Chicago. She asked for the opportunity to come out to the farm near Amboy and her appeal was granted.

Was Devoted Girl.
Mary came and filled the place in the Pankhurst home. She waited on and cared for the aged couple until the death of Mrs. Pankhurst last April. Since that time she has devoted her time to the care and comfort of "Uncle Jimmie," her benefactor. At his death she was to receive the sum of \$10,000. Many times she had written to her aged mother, who lives in the province of Tugo Slavia, Austria, always telling of the happy surroundings of her now found home and benefactors. Mary had just passed 21 years of age, but for several months had been ailing. A few days ago she was taken to the Dixon public hospital to undergo a serious operation, from the effects of which she died.

"Uncle Jimmie" took charge of the remains, which were removed to the Vaughan undertaking parlors in Amboy and prepared for burial. Funeral services will be conducted from the First Methodist church at Amboy Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and Mary will be laid to her final rest in Prairie Rest cemetery.

Harold Bovey, Aged
24, Dies at Home of
Parents in G. Detour

Harold Bovey, aged 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bovey of Grand Detour, passed away at the home of his parents Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock death resulting from Bright's disease. Funeral services will be conducted from the First Methodist church at Amboy Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and Mary will be laid to her final rest in Prairie Rest cemetery. The complete obituary will be published later.

Start Trial of LaSalle
Boys for Murder of Girl

Ottawa, Ill., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Selection of jurors to try Leonard Bornac and Delphin Pety, charged with the murder of Mary Seckak of LaSalle, proceeded slowly today. Four jurors were tentatively accepted by the state and were turned over to the defense for examination.

Conviction of Staunton
Mail Robbers is Upheld

Chicago, Dec. 8.—(AP)—The U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals today affirmed the conviction of William P. Colbeck and eight other St. Louis gangsters who a year ago were found guilty of a \$50,000 mail robbery at Staunton, Illinois.

Chicago Negro, Sentenced
to Hang, Pleads to Gov.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Campbell McCarthy, negro Chicago murderer sentenced to hang Dec. 15, has carried an appeal for clemency to Governor Small. The board of pardons and paroles met today and will return a recommendation later.

Erstwhile "Dry"
Investigator is
Landed in Co. Jail

Clyde Owens of Sterling believed that he was thoroughly acquainted with liquor conditions in Dixon and accordingly went to the police station late last evening where he made known his ability as a rum sleuth. Owens said he was in possession of facts which would close every bootlegging establishment in Dixon if he could be given an opportunity of working out his plan. His theory was out in accordance with the city ordinances, however, and when members of the police department disregarded his proposition, he became abusive and was locked up. This morning the would-be prohibition investigator was taken before Justice J. O. Shaulis in police court and fined the customary \$10 and trimmings for being intoxicated and being unable to meet the obligation, was sent to the county jail. Intoxication was the charge preferred against the "investigator."

FRENCH ACCUSE
WOMAN AS SPY
OF GT. BRITAINFormer Nurse Alleged
to Have Sought Air
Service Data

Paris, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Some of the newspapers openly assert today that Great Britain is the power for which Martha Moreuil, the 25-year-old Parisienne and former nurse, artist's model and parachute jumper, was trying to obtain information about the French air service. The young woman is under arrest charged with espionage and there also are in custody three men, James Leather, Fisher Williams and Ernest O. Phillips, who are alleged to have employed Mme. Moreuil.

The newspapers charge that Leather and Phillips are Englishmen, the former a lieutenant and the other a non-commissioned officer of the regular British army, who have been detached into the intelligence service. Mme. Moreuil is said to have made a full confession and to have given the names of the three men, who she asserts, had paid for her services. On the strength of this, Leather, Williams and Phillips, who conducted a radio store, were arrested. All of them deny the charge.

President Returns to
White House This Morn

Washington, Dec. 8.—(AP)—President Coolidge and Mrs. Coolidge returned to Washington today from Chicago where the President yesterday addressed a meeting of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

Peoria Woman is Victim
of Unusual Spit Work

Peoria—Police are trying to find who ordered fourteen taxicabs and seventeen moving vans to the home of Mrs. Martha Thompson, who believes it was spite work. Florists, ice cream and coal dealers have been sending orders there in a steady stream and the door bell has been worn out. Phone calls were faked.

THE WEATHER

SOME PLANS OUGHT TO
BE CARRIED OUT
ON A STRETCHER.



TUESDAY, DEC. 8, 1925

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Illinois: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday, colder in extreme north portion.

Chicago and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Lowest temperature tonight about 20; winds mostly fresh to strong northwest.

Wisconsin: Cloudy tonight followed by generally fair Wednesday; much colder.

Iowa: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday.

PUBLIC WELCOME
TO ALL SESSIONS
HORTICULTURISTSBig Meeting Will Open
Here Tomorrow A. M.;
Many Coming

Tomorrow morning the forty-eighth annual session of the Horticultural Society of Northern Illinois will open in the First Presbyterian church for a two days meeting. The various committees have been working very hard to complete the program and to see that all of the things that are necessary to make a convention successful, have been carried out. This is perhaps the best program that has been arranged for some time and every speaker is an authority upon the subject of which he will discuss. Both the men and women who will take part on this program are recognized as being leaders in their particular lines. Any one that attends any of the meetings will receive much constructive thought and many valuable ideas.

Public is Welcome
The public should understand that they are very cordially invited to attend any of the meetings and that they are urged to see the wonderful exhibits that will be on display. Apples of practically every known variety, pears, plums and quinces, canned fruits of all kinds, and vegetables. Every one of these are important in our daily life and the housewife should be particularly interested in knowing about respective values of each variety. There will be no charge whatsoever at any of the sessions or to view the exhibits.

One of the important features of the meeting will be a question box in which any one will be allowed to drop questions of which they wished answered or discussed. There are many questions that seem large to those not actively engaged along horticultural lines, but to the man who makes this a business these questions may be of a small nature. Here will have their questions answered and discussed, so if any one in this community desires information they should attend these meetings. Tomorrow's program will be as follows:

Morning—10:30 a. m.
Address of Welcome—Hon. Frank D. Palmer, Mayor of Dixon.

Response for the Society.
President L. R. Bryant

Afternoon—1:00 p. m.
Air-cooled Storage for Apples.

G. L. Smith, Rock Island Musical Readings Mrs. L. N. Deutch

Accompanied by Mrs. Will Smith Truck and Garden Insect Control—C. C. Compton, State Natural History Survey.

Flowers for the Farm Home—Grace Parker, Harmon Chorus.

High School Glee Club
Evening—7:30 p. m.
Developing Home and School Grounds—Dr. I. L. Peterson University of Illinois

Reading—Mrs. A. G. Burnham "The Farm Wood Lot," followed by moving pictures—C. E. Yale, Lee Co. Farm Advisor.

Quincy School Head to
Decline Athletic Post

Quincy, Ill., Dec. 7.—(AP)—W. E. Nelson, principal of Quincy high school, today announced that he will decline the office of president of the Mississippi Valley High School Conference to which he was elected here Saturday afternoon. Mr. Nelson did not attend the conference officials' meeting.

He said that he believed the honor should be passed around the conference before it again returns to Quincy. J. F. Wellesley, former Quincy principal, having again returned to Quincy, the management of the day and night high school and the coming district basketball tournament will engage his time to the extent that he will not be able to devote the time necessary to the office.

Famous Woman Guest
of Kiwanians Today

Dr. James Rideout of Freeport, lieutenant governor of the Eastern Iowa district of Kiwanis club, was the speaker at the regular weekly luncheon and business meeting of the local club at noon today. He gave a very inspiring talk telling of the convention in Chicago last week. Mrs. Elizabeth Jenks of this city, who has been singing from the Edge-water Beach hotel broadcasting station, accompanied by Clinton Fahnestock sang several delightful numbers. Mrs. Whooz-Itch-Now, the guest of Dr. K. B. Segner, gave a clever interpretation of mental telepathy.

Moline Tool Company
Official Sent to Jail

Moline, Ill., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Wilbur E. Warr, secretary of the Moline Tool Co., pleaded guilty to obtaining \$14,000 from the company by operating a confidence game and was sentenced to Stateville Prison for a term of one to ten years. Warr was arrested November 7, and pleaded guilty on November 17 and was taken to prison on November 18.

GOODFELLOWS OF
DIXON BEGIN TO
ANSWER APPEALSTime is Short, Prompt
Response by Big-
Hearted Needed

That the Goodfellows of Dixon will respond to the appeal of the unfortunate youngsters in this community and give every one of them a happy Christmas we have no doubt. They always have taken care of this labor of love and joy with whole-hearted enthusiasm, and they will do it this year. We urge them, however, to get into action early, as the time is short. Already Goodfellow Club members are responding. Miss Georgia Sills has notified us that she wants to have the name of a little girl that she can make happy with a doll and a dress. The mail yesterday brought us a letter from little Margaret Kirshner, age 8, and her brother, Jackie Kirshner, age 4, who enclosed fifty cents apiece for the Goodfellow fund.

MILITARISM IN
SCHOOLS OBJECT
BITTER ATTACKNew York Man Issues
Pamphlet Hitting at
Practice

Washington, Dec. 8.—A broadside attack on militarism in American education is made in a pamphlet by Winthrop D. Lane of New York given to the public today.

Sponsored by representative individuals including Senators William E. Borah, (Rep.) Henrik Shipstead, (Farmer-Labor), George W. Norris, (Rep.) and Robert M. La Follette, Jr., (Rep.) the booklet charges the War Department with developing military training in high schools, colleges and universities on an unprecedented scale not realized by the American taxpayer. Plans are contemplated, it claims, for extending military training into the public schools to a degree which will amount practically to universal military training for all school boys over 14.

The group, which includes besides the senators two congressmen, several presidents of universities and professors, leading churchmen and representative men and women, demands as a minimum that military training should be "rigidly excluded" from the high schools and its compulsory feature in colleges and universities abolished.

Incidentally the pamphlet mentions the Citizens' Military Training Camps but points out that training there is voluntary. In 1925, it says, there were 28 camps, for which Congress appropriated \$2,000,000. Mr. Lane is a newspaper man and author. He was formerly associate editor of the Survey.

Confidential Secretary
Grange's Latest Worker

Champaign, Ill., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Lyman De Wolf of Wheaton is to be the latest addition to the ranks of Harold "Red" Grange & Company, now touring the east, according to the Champaign News-Gazette of Monday. De Wolf it stated, would join Grange Sunday in Chicago in the capacity of personal adviser, confidante and secretary. It is understood that his addition to the ranks of Grange was especially urged by Grange's father and close friends of the former Illinois marvel.

De Wolf is known here as a salesman for a steel company and an intimate friend of Grange. He accompanied Grange here for the opening of the football season and oftentimes during the fall visited him. With the riches opening up before Grange, it is to be De Wolf's duty to steer him clear from undesirables.

Says Police Can Not
Take Reward for Duty

Springfield, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Police in Illinois are forbidden by state statute to accept rewards for doing their duty except in case the city council has voted an exception. City Attorney Sampson of Springfield advised Mayor Bullard today.

This interpretation of the law came this morning as another chapter in the controversy started by a local jeweler who was advised by a policeman that he might recover \$1400 worth of jewelry stolen from him if he offered a reward.

Precher, Son of Squaw,
Celebrates 95th Birthday

Galesburg—Joshua Davis, former minister in the A. M. E. Church of the Illinois conference, is celebrating his 95th birthday today. His mother, a full blooded Mohawk Indian, lived to be 161 and his father, who was seven eighths Indian and one eighth white, was killed at the age of 102 while riding a vicious horse.

IS GRANTED DIVORCE
Mrs. Pauline Adams Daehler has been granted a divorce in the Lee County Circuit Court from Oswald Daehler, the court permitting her to resume her maiden name, Miss Pauline Adams.

HIGH SPOTS IN COOLIDGE MESSAGE

Telegraph's Artist Outlines Punches in President's Annual Message.



"I am in favor of disposing of Muscle Shoals."

"TAXES REDUCED BEFORE MARCH FIFTEENTH—HOORAY!"



"The tax-payers should be given the full benefit of tax reduction next year."



Although the president did not mention Colonel Billy Mitchell, he administered an indirect rebuke by denying that America is lagging behind in aviation development and opposing Mitchell's plan for a separate air service.

MIDWEST FARMERS
SHOWING BELIEF
IN CO-OP SCHEMEMany Successful Co-operative
Associations in
Territory

Chicago, Dec. 8.—(AP)—President Coolidge's declaration in his address to farmers here yesterday that for "a more orderly marketing calculated to secure a better range of prices, the greatest success" has already been anticipated by legions of farmers of the midwest, where there are many thousands of local cooperative marketing organizations.

The President pointed out that one-fifth of the annual production already is being handled in this manner and a survey of several states shows how widespread this movement has become.

Among the products which Iowa farmers ship cooperatively are hogs, cattle, sheep, butter, grain, fruits and vegetables.

The sale of one bushel out of every three bushels of Indiana wheat is through the agency of the Indiana Wheat Growers Association, an organization only a little more than a year old. Eighteen thousand Hoosier farmers are marketing their wheat through 800 elevators with which the association maintains relations.

Five major cooperative organizations are operating in Michigan with nearly 700 local associations.

All of the several hundred cooperative marketing organizations operating in Wisconsin are on a paying basis, says Edward Nordman, state commissioner of markets.

Minnesota, with nearly 4,000 local cooperative associations in nine major organizations and a membership of 30,000 is prospering and increasing them yearly, says J. H. Hay, deputy commissioner of agriculture.

Nebraska has 500 local cooperative marketing organizations.

The North Dakota Wheat Growers Association is the most important of that state and there are other co-operatives.

I. A. A. Backs Co-ops.
Illinois has a well diversified cooperative marketing program which is sponsored by the Illinois Agricultural Association and the state farm bureau. The bureau reports that 14 per cent of the state's livestock is marketed cooperatively; 24.1 per cent of the dairy products; 28 per cent of fruit and vegetables and between 65 and 75 per cent of all Illinois grain handled at Chicago.

Kansas has a great many cooperative wheat and elevator associations.

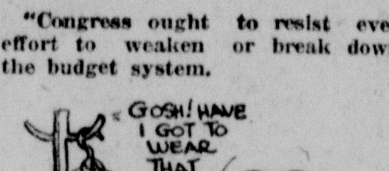


"Congress ought to resist every effort to weaken or break down" the budget system.

"GOSH! I GOT TO WEAR THAT"



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Smith College
Professor Puts
A. P. on the Rack

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 8.—(AP)—The Associated Press, described by him as one of the "most automatically ruled institutions in the world," has been "100 percent wrong" in its selection and coloring of the news of every international crisis since 1915.

Prof. William Orton of Smith College, told the League of Women Voters here last night. Prof. Orton asserted that while the Associated Press, in common with general newspaper practice does not deliberately misstate facts, but that it selects for its members' use only those facts favorable to some specific policy or purpose.

He pointed to recent dispatches from the Near East to illustrate his theory, saying that the Riffs are being pictured as rebels, up in arms against the established government, when, he added "no people were ever more justified in protest and rebellion."

Every promise made them, he said, has been disregarded; they were forced to suffer beneath the tyrannical administration of France, but— "they are 'mere' rebels in the eyes of the Associated Press."

and a considerable number of mercantile establishments.

Texas handles cooperatively cotton, wheat, figs, melons, broom corn, alfalfa hay and livestock.

Safe in Insurance

Agency Was Robbed

The safe in the office of the T. J. Miller, Jr., insurance agency on the second floor of the Courtyrman building, was opened and robbed about \$200 some time Saturday night. It was learned today. The office was entered, the safe opened and only the money was taken, valuable papers being ransacked but not destroyed or molested. A check amounting to about \$114 and some small change was taken together with \$50 in quarters, which belonged to Manager Ward Miller of the Dixon Legion football team. The contents of the safe were covered by insurance.

Drives for Two Worthy
Causes Now Under Way

Two separate and distinct drives for funds, both deserving, are under way in Dixon this week. The Salvation Army-Associated Charities drive is one that has met with hearty response for several years in Dixon and vicinity, and is now in progress. The Near East Relief drive for funds is also in progress this week, but there is no connection between the two causes.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE SENT
TO JOINT SESSION THIS NOON;
OUTLINES HIS MAIN DESIRESPressing Domestic and
International Problems
Submitted

Washington, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Renewing a number of recommendations he already had made to Congress, President Coolidge, in his annual message transmitted today to the House and Senate, outlined a comprehensive legislation program dealing with pressing domestic and international problems. His suggestions included:

Tax reduction along lines mapped out by the House Ways and Means Committee.

Adherence to the World Court.

Continued effort to strengthen aviation, without radical change in the organization of the army and navy air services.

Curtailment of the Shipping Board's powers, with the government fleet under the control of a single executive.

Increased authority for the President and Departments of Commerce and Labor to deal with labor disputes in the coal industry.

ENCOURAGEMENT OF CO-OPERATIVE marketing as an aid to agriculture.

policy of having European countries settle their own political problems without involving the United States.

That reduction of land armaments not only is of prime importance but a problem peculiarly European in its practical aspects, and that "our country would look with particular gratitude upon any action which those countries might take to reduce their own military forces."

That the general policy of our country is for disarmament, and it ought not to hesitate to adopt any practical plan that might reasonably be expected to succeed. But it would not care to attend a conference which from its location or constituency would in all probability prove futile.

About World Court.
That American participation in the World Court would not mean involvement in the League of Nations, but would "contribute greatly to the advancement of our ideals."

That debt settlement already negotiated "impose no undue burden and are mutually beneficial" and that "every reasonable effort will be made to secure agreement for liquidation with the remaining countries."

Turning to domestic issues the President advocated anew enactment of a selective service act for mobilization of materials as well as men in emergencies. The report of the air board ought to be "reassuring," he declared, adding that the Department of War, Navy and Commerce "should each be provided with an additional assistant secretary, not necessarily with statutory duties but who would be available under the direction of the secretary to give especial attention to law navigation."

Must Have Air Service.
"We must have an air strength worthy of America," he said. "Provision should be made for two additional brigadier generals for the army air service. Temporary rank corresponding to their duties should be awarded to active flying officers in both army and navy."

With reference to agriculture, the President regarded its position as a whole improved although many localities and individuals still are in a distressing condition. In his opinion farmers generally do not wish meddling by the government or direct or indirect price fixing "which would result from permitting the government to operate in the agricultural markets" and power should be given the Department of Agriculture to aid marketing associations without undue regulation.

Merchant Marine Problem
In his analysis of the merchant marine problem, he took the view that while elimination of the regional representation feature of the Shipping Board is not desirable, "it has become apparent that without centralized executive action the management of this great business will founder in incapacity and languish under a division of council."

Pointing out that the federal government has little to deal with the situation in the coal industry, he advocated authority for appointment of temporary boards with authority to all for witnesses and documents, conciliate difference, encourage arbitration and in case of threatened scarcity exercise control over distribution.

As for prohibition, the President said:

National Prohibition
"Under the orderly processes of our fundamental institutions the Constitution was lately amended providing for national prohibition. The Congress passed an act for its enforcement, and similar acts have been provided by most of the states. It is the law of the land. It is the duty of all who come under its jurisdiction to observe the spirit of that law, and it is the duty of the Department of

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TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Livestock.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Hogs: 37,000; 15¢ to 25¢ lower than Monday's average; packing sows dull, early 21¢ to 30¢ lb., butchers 11.00¢ to 11.50¢; big packers bidding up to 10.85¢; 160 to 180 lbs. 11.25¢ to 11.50¢; practical top 11.60¢ to 14.00¢; 180 to 200 lbs. 11.60¢ to 11.85¢; packing sows 9.00¢ to 10.00¢; slaughter pigs 11.50¢ to 12.50¢; heavy hogs 10.75¢ to 11.00¢; medium 10.85¢ to 11.15¢; light 10.50¢ to 11.50¢; light 10.75¢ to 11.35¢.

Cattle: 14,000; fed steers, quality considered, steady to easy, spots 25¢ lower; 25¢ off at close, prime Christmas yearlings 38.50¢; few choice year-

lings 11.25¢ to 12.00¢; fat steers 8.75¢ to 10.50¢; weaners 50¢ higher, 11.00¢ to 11.50¢ to packers; outsiders 12.00¢ to 13.00¢.

Sheep: 15,000; fat lambs opening steady; good and choice kinds 17.00¢ to 17.35¢; between weaners; feeding lambs bulk fat ewes 8.25¢ to 10.00¢; feeding 25¢ higher; fat weaners 12.00¢; lambs 16.25¢ to 16.50¢; one double 16.90¢.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Poultry: alive firm, receipts 10 cars; fowls 19¢ to 25¢; chickens 25¢; turkeys 32¢; roosters 16¢; ducks 20¢ to 22¢; geese 16¢ to 18¢.

Potatoes 44 cars; steady; U. S. shipments 406 cars; Wisconsin-Minnesota sacked round whites 3.40¢ to 3.65¢; Idaho sacked and Montana sacked russets best, 3.00¢ to 3.70¢; fair quality 3.40¢ to 3.50¢.

Butter higher; 11,497 tubs; creamery extras 49¢; standards 45¢; extra firsts 45¢ to 47¢; firsts 43¢ to 45¢; seconds 41¢ to 42¢.

Chicago Grain Table

By Associated Press Leased Wire

WHEAT—

Dec. new 1.78 1/2 1.80 1/2 1.85 1.75 1/2
Dec. old 1.77 1/2 1.79 1/2 1.83 1.73 1/2
May new 1.76 1/2 1.78 1/2 1.82 1.72 1/2
May old 1.71 1/2 1.73 1/2 1.77 1.68 1/2
July 1.51 1.53 1.57 1.49 1/2 1.49 1/2

CORN—

Dec. 77 78 77 78 78 78
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July 85 86 85 86 85 85

OATS—

Dec. 41 42 41 41 41 41
May 45 46 45 45 45 45
July 46 47 45 45 45 45

RYE—

Dec. 1.05 1.09 1.05 1.05 1.05
May 1.11 1.13 1.11 1.11 1.11
July 1.12 1.14 1.11 1.11 1.11

LARD—

Dec. 33.97 34.12 33.95 34.05
Jan. 33.82 34.02 33.82 33.95

RIBS—

Jan. 14.20 14.20
May 14.15 14.15

BELLIES—

Dec. 14.50 14.50
Jan. 14.30 14.30
May 14.75 14.75 14.65 14.65

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Wheat No. 1 hard 1.82 1/2; No. 2 hard 1.81 1/2 to 1.82; Corn No. 2 mixed 81; No. 3 mixed 76; No. 4 mixed 73 1/2 to 75; No. 5 mixed 69 1/2 to 72; No. 6 mixed 67 1/2 to 68 1/2; No. 2 yellow 82; No. 3 yellow 75 1/2 to 77 1/2; No. 4 yellow 73 1/2 to 75 1/2; No. 5 yellow 69 1/2 to 72; No. 6 yellow 67 1/2 to 69 1/2; No. 3 white 76 1/2 to 77; No. 4 white 74 1/2 to 75; No. 5 white 70 1/2 to 72; No. 6 white 67 1/2 to 69; sample grade 60 to 65 1/2; Oats No. 2 white 41 1/2 to 43 1/2; No. 3 white 40 1/2 to 42 1/2; Rye No. 2, 1.11; barley 60 to 78; Timothy seed, 6.50 to 7.25; Clover seed 21.00 to 30.50; Lard 14.65; Ribs 15.25; Bellies 14.75.

Liberty Bonds Close.

Ne York, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Liberty bonds closed: 3 1/2% 92.23, 1st 4 1/2% 101.25, 2nd 4 1/2% 100.22, 3rd 4 1/2% 101.2, 4th 4 1/2% 102.1, Treasury 4 1/2% 103, New 4 1/2% 106.10.

Wall Street Close.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
All. Chme. & Dye 112 1/2.
American Can 25 1/2.
Am. Car & Fdy 109 3/4.
Am. Locomotive 122 1/2.
Am. Sm. & Ref 127 1/2.
Am. Sugar 76 1/2.
Am. Tel. & Tel 144 1/2.
Am. Tobacco 110 1/2.
Am. Water Kks 73.
Am. Woolen 46 1/2.

Anacosta Corp 49 1/2. Atchafalpa 127.
Atl. Coast Line 24 3/4. Baldwin Loco 126 1/2.
Balt. & Ohio 92 1/2. Bethlehem 81 1/2.
California Pet 31 1/2. Canadian Pac 146.
Cent. Leath 65 1/2. Cerro de Pasco 62 1/2.
Chandler Motor 48. Chesapeake & Ohio 116 1/2.
Chic. & North-western 74 1/2.
Chic. Mil. & St. P. 47 1/2.
Chis. R. I. & Pac 47 1/2.
Coca Cola 152 1/2.
Colorado Fuel 38 1/2.
Congoletum 15 1/2.
Consolidated Gas 96.
Corn Products 40 1/2.
Cruceille Steel 82.
Cuba Can Sug. 45 1/2.
Davison Chem 37 1/2.
Dodge Bros. 48 1/2.

Du Pont de Nem 235 1/2. Electric Pow. & Lt. cfs 304 1/2.
Erie 1st pfd. 43 1/2.
Famous Players 109 1/2.
General Asphalt 63.
General Electric 319 1/2.
General Motors 110.
Gt. Northern pfd 75 1/2.
Gulf States Steel 90 1/2.
Hudson Motors 107 1/2.
Illinois Central 118 1/2.
Int. Harvester 127 1/2.
Int. Mer. Mar. pfd 37 1/2.
Int. Nickel 46.
Kelly-Springfield 163 1/2.
Kennebott Cop 54 1/2.
Lehigh Valley 84 1/2.
Louisville & Nash 142.
Mack Truck 216.
Marland Oil 58.
Mex. Seaboard Oil 9 1/2.
Mid-Continental Pet 56 1/2.
Mo. Kan. & Tex. 41.
Missouri Pac. pfd 59.
Montgomery Ward 81.
Nat. Biscuit 71.
Nat. Lead 165.
New York Central 128.
N. Y. N. H. & Hfd 44 1/2.
Norfolk & Western 147 1/2.
Nor. American 67 1/2.
Northern Pacific 75.
Pac. Oil 60 1/2.
Pan. Am Pet 78.
Penn. 53 1/2.
Phila. & Rdr. C. & I. 41 1/2.
Phillips Pet 45 1/2.
Pure Oil 27.
Radio Corp. 45 1/2.
Reading 87 1/2.
Refr. & Steel 58 1/2.
Reynolds 79 1/2.
St. L. & San Fran. 98 1/2.
Seaboard Airline 51 1/2.
Sears Roebuck 228 1/2.
Sinclair Con. Oil 20 1/2.
Southern Pac. 95 1/2.
Southern Ry. 116 1/2.
Standard Oil, Cal. 55 1/2.
Standard Oil, N. J. 43 1/2.
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FOR SALE—Rhodes Island Red cockerels. J. H. Steiner, Eldena, Ill.

FOR SALE—1 black plush coat with opossum fur collar; 1 gray Astrakhan cloth sport coat with fur collar; and 1 navy blue flannel nightgown and skirt. Will sell cheap. All sizes 28. Tel. Y544.

FOR SALE—On account of leaving Dixon will sell almost all household goods. Location at 308 W. Chamberlain St. Phone Y1013.

WANTED—Experienced solicitors to solicit orders over the telephone. Address or inquire for W. J. Hill, care Evening Telegraph.

FOR RENT—Books in our Last Word Lending Library, including "Audion Bridge" by Work, the world's bridge authority. Better Paint Store, 232 First St.

FOR SALE—Maxwell sedan. Just like new. Priced very reasonable. Newman Bros. Riverview Garage.

LOST—Lady's gold wrist watch. Reward. Mrs. B. S. Schildberg. Phone X1209.

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FOR SALE—Diamond ring, gold Tiffany setting. \$200. Call K624. 11*

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easterin chunks \$45 to \$50; good southern horses \$30 to \$40.
Mules 16 to 17 hands \$175 to \$225; 15 to 16.2 hands \$125 to \$190; 14.5 to 15.2 hands \$80 to \$90.

Local Markets.

DIXON MILK PRICE

From Dec. 1st until further notice, the Borden company will pay for milk received \$2.40 per hundred pounds, for milk testing 4 per cent butter fat, direct ratio.

Local Briefs

E. M. Goodsell is in Princeton today on business.

I have some thing of interest to those wanting auto and fire insurance. See me at the Dixon Loan & Bldg. Ass'n. H. U. Bardwell.

Homer Bennett transacted business in Coleta yesterday afternoon.

Nurses Record sheets may be obtained at the Telegraph office.

Call at the Evening Telegraph office and see the beautiful Christmas Card display.

Mrs. Anna G. Weiker of San Francisco, who is en route to Boston, was the week end guest of Mrs. J. T. Emerson and Miss Scanlon.

Call and see the new Christmas Greeting cards at the Evening Telegraph office.

Col. W. B. Brinton is here from Highland Park for a few days visit. In company with Mrs. Brinton and their daughter, Miss Helen, he will leave for Florida Dec. 18.

Call at the Telegraph office and see the very beautiful display of Christmas cards before the selection is depleted.

The regular weekly meeting of the city council will be held in the city hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eckert spent Monday in Rockford visiting with relatives.

John Ford has closed his summer home north of the city and returned to Dixon to spend the winter.

Ed Kimmel of Fort Wayne, Ind., was a visitor Monday at the W. A. Besworth home, 507 First St.

Mrs. Jason Dill returned to her home in Chicago Monday evening after a week end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Youngberg of Palmyra ave. Mr. Youngberg accompanied her to the city for a short visit.

Mrs. Fred G. Dimick has returned from Chicago where she was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Clay.

Louis Pfeiffer transacted business in Chicago yesterday.

Thomas H. Eustace and daughter Miss Annie Eustace of Topeka, Kan., will spend the holidays at the home of Mrs. Eustace Shaw, arriving about Dec. 20.

Look at the Little yellow tag and send in a renewal subscription to the Telegraph.

Supervisor and Mrs. Joseph Bauer of Hamilton township were in Dixon yesterday and were dinner guests at the L. B. Neighbor home.

Many Milwaukee Doctors Face Federal Prosecution

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Approximately 100 Milwaukee physicians face revocation of their white-key permits and possible prosecution on a criminal charge of conspiracy to violate the national prohibition act as a result of a report to R. D. Sterling, deputy prohibition administrator here, by two special agents.

Not only must the physicians explain certain prescriptions now in possession of the prohibition department, but a number of druggists are also due for a session on the prohibition carpet, it was reported.

Grange Sees President Then Tackles All-Stars

Washington, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Red Grange, the football star, here for a professional game, was presented to President Coolidge at the White House today by Senator McKinley of Illinois.

The "galloping ghost," who was in the executive offices but a moment, asked the President shook hands with him, asked him where he lived and wished him luck.

Bright sunny autumn days and general thousand spectators greeted Grange and the Chicago Bears today when they met the Washington All-Stars here in a professional football game.

The former Illinois star, wearing his celebrated "77," was given a cheer when he romped on to the field with his team.

Score, end first period:
Bears, 0; All-Stars, 0.

We have hundreds of beautiful Christmas Cards from which to make selection. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

PROGRAM AND BOX SOCIAL
At Stony Point school Friday, Dec. 11th. Everyone invited. Ladies please bring boxes. Mildred Henderson and Alice Stanley, teachers. 11.

SAW FILING.
I am now prepared to do all kinds of saw filing. K. D. Adams, 404 West Third St. Phone K640. 28612*

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MISHAP VICTIM
WILL BE BURIED
HERE WEDNESDAYRock Falls Man Dies After
Fall Down Cellar
Steps

Albert Caponera, aged 32 years, passed away at the Sterling public hospital Monday morning at 12:40 o'clock, his death being caused by a skull fracture which he received when he fell down the cellar stairs at his home Saturday night. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's church. Burial will be in a Dixon cemetery.

Caponera occupied a part of the house, living by himself. The other part of the house was occupied by Ambrose Cezhetti and family. Saturday night between 10 and 11 o'clock Mr. Cezhetti heard a noise in the basement and when he investigated he discovered the unconscious body of Caponera lying at the foot of the stairway. The unconscious man was taken upstairs and in a short time regained consciousness. He stated that he had started down to fix the furnace and in the dark missed the top step and lost his footing, falling down the stairs.

It was not believed at first that he was seriously injured. However, Sunday morning he began to show the effects of his injury. A physician was called and had him removed to the Sterling public hospital Sunday morning about 10 o'clock, and he passed away early Monday morning.

Mr. Caponera had been in this country several years. He was employed at the International Harvester company plant. He leaves a wife and young son in Italy.

Illinois Grange Reports
Much Expansion in 1925

Urbana, Ill., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Reports of a successful year of expansion were made at the Illinois State Grange meeting here today by E. A. Eckert, Mascoutah, Ill., master.

During the year six new subordinate Granges and three juveniles were added, among them, the Illini Grange in the agriculture college of the University of Ill. Most of those already established reported gains in membership. More than \$70,000 has been invested in Grange halls, three of which were added during the year.

Otherwise, the year's achievements were listed by Mr. Eckert as advancement along agricultural and cooperative lines, increased interest in insurance, participation in opposition to increased railroad freight rates.

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HOMER-BAKING AND BAZAAR
Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will hold a bazaar and sale of home baking Saturday, Dec. 12th, commencing at 10 o'clock in the windows of the Dixon Cleaners in the Gonnerman building.

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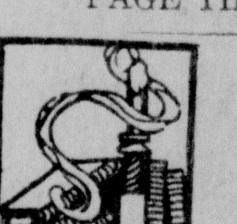
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WOMENS PAGE



Society

Tuesday
Westminster Guild—Mrs. P. H. Case, 316 Third street.
W. O. M. U.—Moose Hall.
Ideal Club—Mrs. Lloyd Lewis, 216 E. Boyd St.
Practical Club—Mrs. J. N. Weiss, 311 Douglas Ave.
Grace W. M. S.—Mrs. F. Brandt, 213 E. Chamberlain St.

Wednesday
Loyal Order Moose—Moose Hall.
S. S. Grade P. T. A.—High School Bldg.
M. E. Wesleyan M. S.—Mrs. H. M. Hey, 309 E. Chamberlain St.
Practical Club—Mrs. J. N. Weiss, 311 Douglas Ave.

Thursday
St. James Missionary Society—Mrs. Emma Geisler.
Dixon Woman's Club Board—Mrs. Habecker.
Dorcas Society—Mrs. Frank Hettinger, 1121 Third St.
City Altz Club—Mrs. Ralph Zarger, 614 E. Fellows St.
Baptist Missionary Society—Miss Anna Pratt, 513 E. Fellows St.
St. Paul's Missionary Society—Church Parlors, Election.
St. Agnes Guild—E. N. Howell.
St. Paul's Missionary Society—Church Parlors, Election.

Friday
Dixon War Mothers—Mrs. D. W. Oebach, 317 College Ave.
Christian C. C. Circle—Mrs. Wm. Lindsey, W. Chamberlain St.
Presbyterian Candlelighters Aid Society—Mrs. A. L. Barlow, 317 Galena Ave.

Saturday
Dixon Woman's Club—Christian Church, 2:30 p. m.

ST. JAMES AID SOCIETY ENTERTAINED

Twenty-six members and friends of the St. James Ladies' Aid Society were entertained at the pleasant home of Mrs. Emma Geisler on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Geisler was assisted by Mrs. Edwin Barlow. Mrs. Baken, the president, called the meeting to order with the song, "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name." The scripture lesson was from the seventh chapter of Esther. Mrs. Geisler led in prayer. All enjoyed singing another hymn. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved and the dues were collected.

The Aid voted to pay for the coal that has been bought for the church and a number of other business matters were brought up but nothing definite decided about them. Miss Elizabeth Brant delightedly entertained the Aid with a violin solo, and responded to an encore. Miss Anna Keenan accompanying her. The meeting was

adjourned by repeating the Lord's prayer and all enjoyed the social hour which followed. The hostess served dainty refreshments after which all left for their various homes. The next meeting of the Aid will be with Mesdames Anna and Clarence Bothe on Wednesday, Jan. 6, 1926.

Attended Golden Wedding in R. F.

Rock Falls.—An observance of the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Edwards, Rock Falls, was held Sunday at their home. They were married fifty years ago, Dec. 4th at New Bedford, Ill., and have been resident of Rock Falls for the past twenty-four years. Owing to the inclement weather of Friday, it was decided to hold the big dinner Sunday. Those in attendance were Mrs. Blanch Aument, daughter, and family of Sterling, Andrew Edwards, a son, and family of Rock Falls, Mr. and Mrs. John Norman of New Bedford, the latter being a niece, Mrs. Murray Wentling of Dixon, a granddaughter, and Mr. Wentling. It was a bounteous dinner.

Mr. Edwards is in rather poor health and has been ailing for the past several months, but Mrs. Edwards is enjoying the best of health. They received many congratulations from relatives and friends.

P. E. O. MET MONDAY WITH MRS. NICHOLS

The P. E. O. met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Herbert Nichols, Miss Josephine Nichols assisting as hostess. The competition drill was directed by Mrs. Coppins and Little Miss Hey entertained in a most delightful and clever manner with two piano numbers. The meeting closed with the serving of dainty refreshments and a social hour.

C. C. CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS. LINDSEY

The C. C. Circle of the Christian church will meet with Mrs. William Lindsey at her home on West Chamberlain street on Friday evening. Mrs. George Natz will be the assistant hostess. A good attendance is desired. The members of Section 2 of the Aid Society are requested to bring their donations for the Christmas sale to this meeting.

DORCAS SOCIETY WILL MEET THURSDAY

The Dorcas Society of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Frank Hettinger, 1121 Third street, at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon. All members are urged to attend and are requested to take their own needle work or fancy work to this meeting.

CANDLELIGHTERS AID SOCIETY WILL MEET

The Candlelighters Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. A. L. Barlow, 317 Galena avenue. Mrs. Gus Demarest, Mrs. William Dauntler, Mrs. R. S. Farrand and Mrs. Collins Dysart will assist Mrs. Barlow in entertaining.

ST. PAUL'S SOCIETY WILL MEET THURSDAY

The Missionary Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet at the church Thursday afternoon at 2:30 the annual election of officers and other important business. The hostesses will be Mrs. Switzer, Mrs. Jay Atkins and Mrs. Martinson.

MISS SCOTT GUEST AT FAREWELL PARTY

Miss Dorothy Lennon and Miss Edna Weyant entertained at dinner Saturday evening in honor of Miss Gladys Scott, who leaves this week for Florida to join her parents, where she has accepted a position.

WAR MOTHERS MEET FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The Dixon War Mothers will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. D. W. Oebach, 317 College avenue. All World War mothers are invited to be present at this meeting.

ST. PAUL JUNIORS TO PRACTICE WEDNESDAY

The Junior Department of St. Paul's Lutheran church are requested to report for practice for Christmas on Wednesday afternoon after school at the church.

(Additional Society on Page 3)

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The Store of Many Gifts
Santa Claus Is Coming!

A Real Live Santa Claus will arrive at Edson-Howell Co.'s store at 2:30 Saturday afternoon, don't miss him, just be at the store at exact time, he will shake hands with you, and be sure and leave a letter in the Santa Claus box with your address plainly written so he can answer it.



Cheeks grow rosy when a Champion Steering Sled keeps a boy happy out of doors, all sizes, \$1.45, \$1.69, \$1.95 and \$2.15.



Like Real Baby's these Doll Buggies nicely upholstered and with rubber-tired wheels for dolly's comfort, \$2.95 to \$11.00.

For a real boy, a Tool Chest with tools just like big folks, \$4.95.

Aluminum—is the thing for a tea set which "that Jones boy cannot break" 25c, 95c, and \$1.75.

Little Red Folding Tables, \$1.95.

Red Chairs to match, 95c.

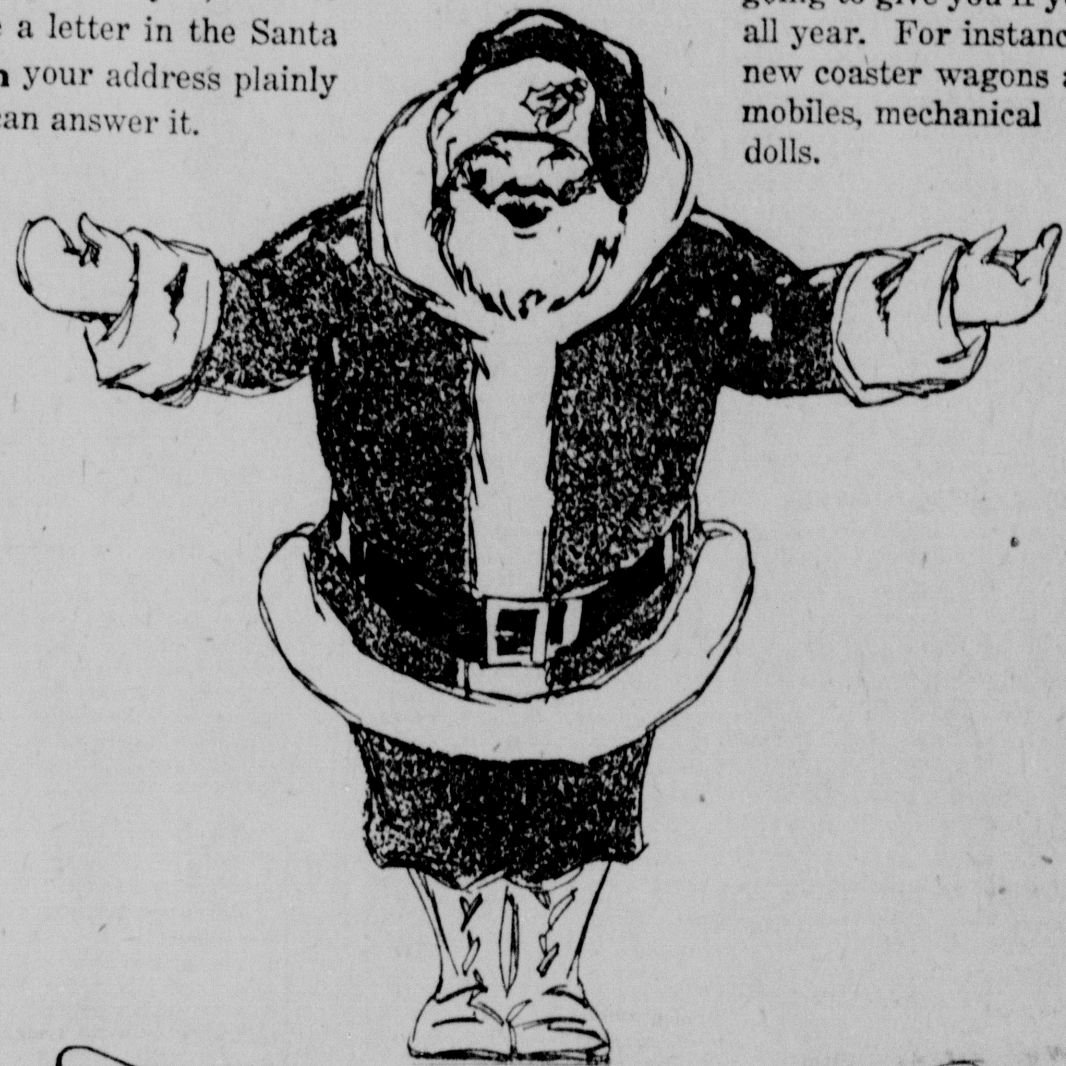
"Skeezix" Red Wheelbarrow, \$1.59.

What little girl or boy would do without a telephone? 49c.

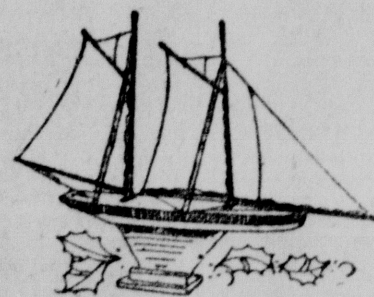
Cedar Chests, just like mama's, \$3.95.

Hyker's New Walking Toys.

Business requires a desk and Chair set, just like dad's, \$5.00 to \$6.75.



Buddy "L" Steel Plaything are built to endure—
Dump Truck, \$6.50.
Fire Engines, \$10.00.
Express Truck, \$5.95.



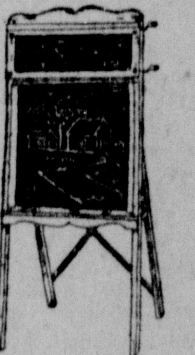
Ships that will sail in any weather, 95c.



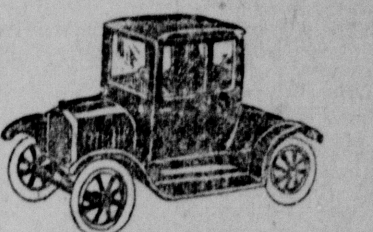
Hustler Betty Roll Duck, 49c.



All aboard! This Lionel train runs on schedule. Reversible engine, headlight, track, station, tunnel, etc. Electric trains, \$5.75 to \$25.00.



What a real convenience to be able to copy designs from the top of this Desk Blackboard onto the Slate below, \$3.25.



Buddy "L" Indestructible Toys, Flivver Coupe, — \$3.75.

Humpty Dumpty Circus — \$1.75.

Champion Velo King Tricycle, large rubber tires, \$11.75.

Metal Ivory Finished Doll Beds, \$1.25, \$1.45 and \$1.75.

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ALIENISTS JUST CAN'T AGREE.

There are 10 gentlemen sitting in the ante-room. All are serious-looking men, with protentious frowns and official-looking brief cases. The air is heavy with intellect.

A door opens off the ante-room, left. It leads to a larger room, neatly panelled in oak, with a raised platform and desk at one end, behind which a somnolent man in black robes is wondering just how much longer this thing is going to last. In front of him there is a long table, with six or seven men grouped about it. Twelve scared-looking jurors—yes, this is a trial—are roped off against the wall.

The 10 men in the ante-room are waiting to testify. They are five to a side—half for the state and half for the defense. Further, they are all alienists, men of learning who have read Kraft-Ebbing and can understand Latin.

Presently they are called. Five of them troops to the witness chair and, gravely, swear that Joe McGlock, the defendant, having been examined by them, was fully sane and in his right mind when he feloniously slew Izzy Beerdrawer, the corpus delicti.

A little later the remaining five ascend to the chair of truth. They unanimously depose that McGlock, when young, was afflicted with a dislike of school and a fondness for green apples, adding solemnly that his grandfather was a physical culture addict and that he had a great aunt who took her tea without lemon.

In consequence of this, it is their opinion that McGlock is not in his right mind and ought not to be held responsible for hastening Mr. Beerdrawer's emergence into The Larger Life.

The jury, pardonably muddled by this conflict among the experts, retires, comes to the conclusion that McGlock has been punished enough and consequently decides on life imprisonment instead of hanging.

All of this having passed into history, we peek at a session of a medical society. An alienist is addressing the assemblage. He laments the public's lack of faith in the sworn word of its medical men and assails the press bitterly for insinuating that "hired" alienists will give any testimony that they are asked to give.

At the same time, a bar association meets and spends a good share of its time discussing the problem of retoring a greater public respect for the lofty aims and high ideals of the legal profession.

Everyone, in fact, is aggrieved. The prosecuting attorney had hoped to add another hanging to his record, and the McGlock had dreamed of getting off scot free and marrying Mrs. Beerdrawer.

And so it goes. We common citizens continue to pay out good money to see comedies on the stage when the average murder trial has enough farcical situations to make the angels snicker.

And justice, meantime, weeps that someone is doing things to her scales, and wonders if it isn't time to take the bandage off her eyes.

But, of course, justice isn't greatly involved in a modern American murder trial.

ANOTHER REPUBLICAN SCHEME.

Democrats are loafing on the job. If they were not, we would have heard before this that the rush to Florida is another nefarious scheme of the republicans, a plan of Wall street to steal the six electoral votes of the peninsula from the democratic party.

Where is the fellow who sent the telegrams that caused the investigation of the charge that the banks were raising millions or billions to defeat LaFollette? Here is a fine field for him.

The immigration is not by selection, but with the rush of republicans "from Greenland's icy mountains to Florida's coral strand" democrats who pointed with pride must pause to ponder.

There was Missouri, the mysterious stranger in the republican ranks twenty years ago, moved over by republicans who descended from the north. Kentucky, then Tennessee, Will Florida be next?

If Florida joins the trio, she will not be in as strange company as Missouri found herself two decades ago.

THE LAW RESTRICTIVE.

The president's Muscle Shoals inquiry board has made its report, or reports. The majority reports that it has no opinion under the national defense act of 1916, that it is really tied up by that act, which decrees that in time the great plant must be used for making fertilizer and in time of war for making explosives. The report favors private operation, but it has been found that no private interest sees any attractive profit in making fertilizer. It is recommended that if a lessee can not be found by the government, then there should be government operation, this to the regret of the members who believe that private operation is greatly preferable. Yet the government should operate rather than allow the plant longer to remain idle. The minority report equally opposes government operation, and recommends that part of the power developed be reserved for fertilizer manufacture and the remainder leased "for the manufacture either of fertilizers or of electro-chemical and electric furnace products."

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"Welcome to Lipka!" said one sweet-faced girl kindly.

"Although the boy in the picture begged Nancy and Nick to stay longer and see all his treasures, they knew that Mister Blue Cap would be waiting for them.

"Good-bye!" said the Twins. "We really must be going. You have been very kind."

"Good-bye," said Mister Blue Cap, suddenly popping up from behind the white-wash bucket where he had been hiding.

The eyes of the two boys nearly popped out of their heads with surprise, when they saw such a funny little fellow, all cap and buttons and not any bigger than a rabbit.

"They were still staring when their visitors left."

Mister Blue Cap and the Twins walked right out of the picture, then, and down the steps into the picture gallery.

When the little fairy man turned to look the glass door, there was the boy at his work again, painting the fence. His brother had gone away.

And wonder of wonders! The fence was no further along, as far as the whitewashing went, than it had been when they arrived.

As for the boy, he appeared not to notice them at all. And neither did I suppose! For how can anyone see when his back is turned!

"Come on, children," said Mister Blue Cap briskly. "All aboard for the next place."

Right next to the picture of the boy, hung a painting titled, "The Fair."

"Oh, ho!" cried Nick when he spied it. "That's a funny looking fair! All the girls have boots on."

TOM SIMS SAYS

You can keep the telephone from disturbing you by failing to pay the bill for a couple of months.

The good die young, especially the good turkeys.

We knew a man once who got so mad at his neighbors he gave his little boy a drum for Christmas.

A debate was held by argue recently, that a fine way to argue with someone you can't whip.

The stingiest man is with us again this year. Has some Red Cross Seals he saved from last Christmas.

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BY CHESTER H. ROWELL

Alexandra, last of the Grand Dames, is dead.

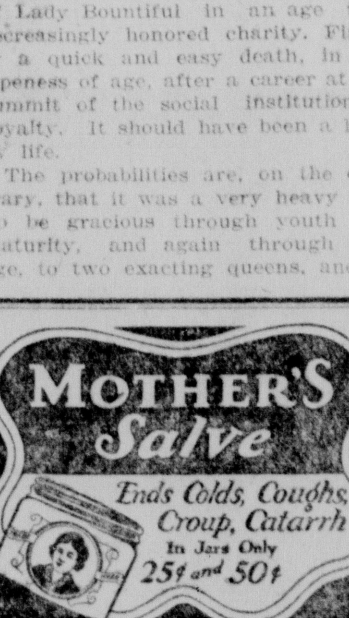
"Saxon and Norman and Dane are we."

But all of us Danes, in our welcome to thee.

So wrote Tennyson, greeting Alexandra to England over 60 years ago. Alexandra came and charmed. Most beautiful and tactful of princesses, she filled for a long generation the difficult role of taking first place in all the feminine activities of royalty without seeming to usurp first place in rank.

Then a too-brief reign on the throne, at the most gracious period of British social leadership. Then the partial eclipse of a too always contented retirement, with the role of Lady Bountiful in an age that decrees less honored charity. Finally a quick and easy death, in the ripeness of age, after a career at the summit of the social institution of royalty. It should have been a happy life.

The probabilities are, on the contrary, that it was a very heavy one. To be gracious through youth and maturity, and again through old age, to two exacting queens, and to



"Hush!" warned Mister Blue Cap. "Don't let them hear you. That's the place you and Nancy are to visit next. It isn't an American fair. It is a Russian fair, and the peasant women wear boots quite as well as the men."

"I think they look lovely," said Nancy. "They have such pretty dresses and embroidered aprons, and their caps are cut into such pretty points."

Nick would have liked to say also that the men looked a little bit odd in their white shirts with their full wide sleeves gathered at the top and at the wrist, much as the girls were. And their hats, with feathers looked like ladies' hats, too!

But he said nothing more after Blue Cap's warning, but merely looked on politely and asked when they were to go.

"At once! At once!" said Mister Blue Cap quickly. "And we must not lose any time about it, either."

He ran up the steps that suddenly appeared before the picture, and unlocked the glass door.

Instantly there were sounds of music and laughter and all the peasant youths and maidens ran to meet the Twins.

"Welcome to Lipka!" said one sweet-faced girl kindly.

Then all the others took hands and made a circle around the children, singing a strange tune to which they kept time with their feet in a sort of stamping dance.

Off in the distance there was the tinkle of a merry-go-round.

(To Be Continued)

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he lenient and loyal to an always charming but sometimes erratic husband, and all in the white light that makes the occupancy of a throne a task of continuous play-acting, was a difficult enough situation.

To have an active brain, at the very center of public affairs, through two critical generations, and yet to take no part in them, was a discipline of self-repression. And then, in old age, to see her royal relatives on other thrones deposed and assassinated, royalty crumble, was to witness personal and family tragedy in the wreck of nations.

So the last of the grand dames maintained her imperial pose to the end, and went to her death unbending, with the heartaches of 80 years sealed in her casket of pride; a queen whose most sternly-ruled subject was herself.

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At that moment, little Jack, who had been on a visit to his father, came in the room. Paula held out her arms to him, as they had become great friends. Jack was very glad to see her, but I found out it was because his father had just told him the great news and he was anxious to tell Miss Perier and "Aunt Sally" that his mother would be back next week. He fairly shouted the good news.

"Are you glad?" asked Paula. Little Jack looked at her in great surprise.

"Of course I'm gladder dan anybody. My mover is my ownest, and he is coming home 'cause she is so lonesome she cannot stay away from me any more. My daddy told me so. He said dat she wrote him she wanted to see me more'n anybody."

"But," said Paula, not knowing that the sound of "th" was the only one that little Jack could not master, "isn't your mover, as you call her, just as lonesome for your brother Syd?"

"Of course not," answered Jack, confidently. "My mover loves me better'n anybody. She loves Syd next 'cause he comes next to me, but she's told me she loves me so much she couldn't live wivout me."

I wish you could have seen Paula's face as she heard little Jack make that amazing declaration. I think perhaps it made her think, as it did me, what a terrible thing it would be if the boy ever dreamed that you didn't love him better than anyone else on earth. I'm afraid his whole life's illusion would be shattered.

Paula looked at the child, and a pride that was almost maternal came over her face, to be blotted out by the most tragical sadness I have ever seen there.

I hope she'll marry some day, just to have such devotion expressed for her as your oldest and adopted son expressed for you.

"But, Jack," I interrupted at this point, "you haven't forgotten your daddy, have you? You have been seeing more of him since your 'mover' has been away. Aren't you glad of that?"

"Yes," he said hesitatingly. "But I'd rather have my mover home than ever to see my daddy." Then, he seemed to realize what he'd said and he hastened to assure us that his daddy was the best dadday any little boy ever had.

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TOMORROW—Letter from Sally Atherton to Leslie Prescott continued.

Did You Ever Stop to Think—

BY

E. R. Waite, Secretary,
Shawnee, Okla. Board of Commerce

GENERAL GUY E. TRIPP,
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF
DIRECTORS OF THE WESTING-
HOUSE ELECTRIC & MANUFACTURING COMPANY, SAYS:

THAT federal, state and municipal taxes are increased 1000 percent in the past thirty-five years.

THAT the tendency is in the direction of a continuing increase.

THAT there is menace to prosperity in too great an increase.

THAT in order to prevent disaster, trained business men should interest themselves in politics, but it is practically impossible for them to be elected to office.

THAT one practical solution appears to be the training of the children in the schools in simple economics so that they will understand that the only safe course is to spend less than they earn, both in their private affairs and in public expenditures.

THE TEACHING OF HYGIENE IN OUR SCHOOLS HAS RESULTED IN A MARKED DECREASE IN THE DEATH RATE, AND THERE IS NO REASON TO DOUBT THAT THE TEACHING OF ECONOMICS WILL ENABLE THE NEXT GENERATION TO HANDLE ITS FINANCIAL AFFAIRS MORE INTELLIGENTLY THAN WE ARE HANDLING OURS.

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Eastern: CKAC, WBBR, WDFW, WFT, WGBS, WHAR, WHAZ, WIP, WJY, WPG, WRC, WREO.
Far West: KGO.

BEST FEATURE

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 9th
6:30 p. m. EAF (491.5) New York. U. S. Army Band also WCAP, WJAR.
7:00 p. m. WMA (341) New York. "More about Florida."
7:10 p. m. WCAU (218) Philadelphia. U. of Pennsylvania Quartet.
8:30 p. m. KPRC (296.9) Houston. Rice Institute Student Band.
9:00 p. m. WCAP (491.5) New York. "Roxie & His Gang, also WCAP, WJAR.
9:15 p. m. WLS (344.6) Chicago. Bohemian Orphan Boys' Band.
10:00 p. m. WLW (422.3) Cincinnati. Sigma Alpha Epsilon "Pep" Concert.

WEDNESDAY PROGRAM
5:00 p. m. KGO, band. WCA, concert. WEAF, music. WGBS, Uncle Geebee. WREO, concert. WRNY, orchestra. WOK, orchestra, vocal. WTAM, Royal Canadians. WMCA, ensemble. WWJ, concert.
5:05 p. m. WIP, Franklin orchestra.
5:15 p. m. KDKA, concert. WOR, talk, Santa Claus.
5:30 p. m. WBZ, Hotel Ensemble. WCAE, concert. KPRC, Kiddies' Hour. WCCO, Stories, markets. WFI, concert music. WGBS, Collegians. WGBU, Piano solos. WGR, trio. WJZ, N. Y. U. Course. WMCA, ensemble. WOR, music. WTIC, trio, vocalist.

5:45 p. m. WGY, music. WCAU, The Parodians. WOC, concert.
6:00 p. m. CNRO, stories. KGO, concert music. KSD, music. WAAM, music. WBZ, Radio Four. WBAP, dance tunes. WDAF, "School of the Air." WEAF, services. WEAR, dance music. WGBS, music. "Movie Sidelines." WEEL, Big Brother. WHAD, organ. WHAM, Theater orchestra. WHT, organ, trio. WJR, dance music, soloists. WJJD, concert. WJZ, Levittown's Orchestra. WMAQ, organ, Story Lady. WMCA, Varied program.
6:15 p. m. WTAG, Children's period.
6:20 p. m. WRNY, Varied program.
6:30 p. m. KDKA, Mailbox. WAAM, sports, program. WBZ, Nature story. WAHG, Soprano, Ramblers. WCAE, Children's period. WEAF, WCAP, WJAR, WOC, U. S. Army Band. WGN, concert. WGY, "Book of Knowledge." WHN, songs, instrumental. WLS, organ. WHO, orchestra. WLIT, Dream Daddy. WMAK,

cert. WSMB, program. WSOE, talks, Travelogue.

8:40 p. m. CNRW, Studio program.
9:00 p. m. CFAC, program, musical.
9:15 p. m. KXK, stories, KXK, dance music. KMA, songs, dancer. KJR, program. KPO, dance tunes. KOA, program, vocal. WAFD, music. WAHG, readings, dance music. WCAU, Collegians. WEAF, WCAP, WGR, WCCO, WJAR, WSAI, Roxy and his Gang. WEBB, orchestra, vocal. WGBU, dance music. WHO, program. WHN, dance music. WIL, Vaudeville. WKRC, soloists. WLIT, dance tunes. WLJB, program. WMAQ, players. WMBB, orchestra, program. WOAN, dance music. WOO, Theater program. WOC, organist, baritone. WRW, orchestra, songs. WSOE, vocal, talk. WTIC, dance music.

9:15 p. m. KFUO, address. WLS, Orphan Boys Band.
9:20 p. m. KFI, Variety program.
9:30 p. m. KWSC, musical program. WBAP, dance tunes. WDAF, music. WGR, concert. WHT, organ, vocal. WJZ, Virginians. WOO, music.

9:40 p. m. KTHS, Southern orchestra.
9:45 p. m. KTHS, organ. WCAU, Songs of Yesterday. WLS, Glee Club.
10:00 p. m. CNRW, dance music. KFI, quartet, program. KIX, educational program. KPO, artists. KGW, concert. WEAF, dance music. KTHS, violinist, music. KYW, revue. WBCN, jazz jamboree. WGR, Lopez orchestra. WGN, jazz scamp. WHN, revue, music. WJJD, program. WLW, Sigma Alpha Epsilon Concert. WMCA, entertainers. WOK, dance music. WOR, orchestra. WQJ, entertainment. WRW, Dance music, pianist. WSAI, quintet. WSM, program. WTAM, Royal Canadians.

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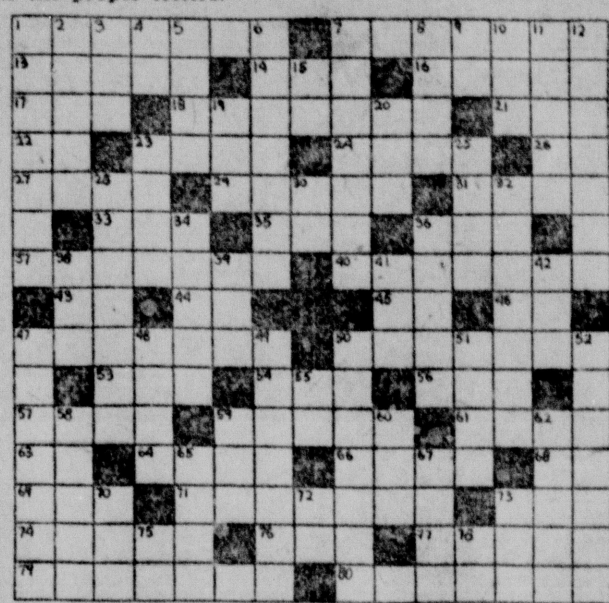
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10:30 p. m. CNRW, dance music. KFI, quartet, program. KIX, educational program. KPO, artists. KGW, concert. WEAF, dance music. KTHS, violinist, music. KYW, revue. WBCN, jazz jamboree. WGR, Lopez orchestra. WGN, jazz scamp. WHN, revue, music. WJJD, program. WLW, Sigma Alpha Epsilon Concert. WMCA, entertainers. WOK, dance music. WOR, orchestra. WQJ, entertainment. WRW, Dance music, pianist. WSAI, quintet. WSM, program. WTAM, Royal Canadians.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Spend a pleasant half hour filling the blank spaces of this crossword puzzle with the proper letters.



HORIZONTAL

1. Paid for another's food.
7. To totter.
13. Waves.
14. To devour.
16. Unfastened.
17. To assist.
18. Female performer.
21. Dined.
22. Exists.
23. Melody.
24. Series of heroic events.
26. Half an em.
27. List.
29. Coronet.
31. Small skin tumor.
33. To decay.
35. To tell an untruth.
36. Sesame, plant.
37. Tools for shaping holes.
40. Musician.
43. Like.
44. Nay.
45. Printers' measure.
46. Correlative or either.
47. Folded tightly.
50. One who decorates.
53. Grain.
56. Wand.
59. Examinations.
54. To hasten.
57. Power.
61. Toward sea.
63. Dolly.
64. Portico.
66. Paid publicly.
68. Picked out.
69. Stir.
71. Bleaching chemical.
73. Eon.
74. Secretions left on leaves of shrubs.
76. Era.
77. One who cuts timber.
79. Lurked.

VERTICAL

1. Streetcar pulled by another car.
2. To lift up.
3. To finish.
4. Preposition of place.
5. Emperor.
6. Particulars.
7. Guided.
8. Too.
9. To depart.
10. Gravel.
11. Chemical compound.
12. To apply secondary colors.
15. Measure of area.
19. Inhabitant of a city.
20. Mineral spring.
23. Particle.
25. To move in the water fish-fashion.
28. Felt chalk obliterators.
30. Three-toed sloth.
32. Nuts.
34. Rigid.
36. Sty.
38. Spike of corn.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

POSSESSES REP
ARIA ION REAR
TARTANS TENSE
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BULLETIN
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In his dash for the new goal Red has stiff-armed love, by his own admission. When he makes his "touch-down", he plans to go back to Wheaton, Illinois, now become famous for its ice and redheads and be a wild citizen, riding around in his car.

Grange's statements as to his future came after a day of signing papers which enriched his cause by something like \$375,000. The Arrow Pictures Corporation, produced a check for \$300,000 for his appearance in motion pictures. Manufacturing firms contributed \$40,000 for the use of his name in connection with various articles. The New York professional management paid \$25,000 for his performance in the game here Sunday.

Just before departing for Washington where he plays again today, Grange managed to recover himself long enough to remark:

To Get Set For Life.
"I told father that I was leaving college before graduating because I thought I could earn enough in professional football to repay him for what he spent on my education. But I got that much so quickly I figured I'd better go on and get set for life."

Former Peoria Pitcher to Manage Bloomington
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Last year while a member of the Peoria pitching staff, Goodbred was one of the leading pitchers of the league, winning 13 games and only 3 lost.

Goodbred hails from Texas, his home being at Fort Worth.

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Loftus	196	159	171
Koot	135	191	169
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Totals	936	923	905
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Roxana Oil

Hartzell	175	175	181
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Gonnerman	134	166	187
Cupp	156	172	145

Smothered Roxana Oil Co. Team in Three Straight Games

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Hubbell held high average for the three games with 623 pins in an average of 208 for each game. Sowers with 269 pins was high for the Roxana five.

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LEGION BOWLERS BROKE RECORDS IN THEIR GAME

NEWS
FROM
DIXON
**EVERY MEMBER
TO BE PLACED
ON ALLEY TEAM**
**Great Bowling Tour-
ney Being Arranged
at Local Y.M.C.A.**

At a meeting of the captains of the bowling teams of the Y. M. C. A. held last evening, several points of interest to the bowlers were thoroughly discussed and several improvements will be made in the immediate future in the alleys.

The captains of the twelve teams have arranged a meeting for Friday evening at 7:00 o'clock, for the purpose of placing every member of the Association who bowls or wishes to bowl on some team and it will also assist the captains in picking the best possible men for their teams. If there is any person who is not now a member of the Association, who wishes to have their name on these lists, they are requested to hand their name in at the Y. M. C. A. office, before Friday evening. Non-members of the Association are privileged to bowl on the "Y" alleys at the rate of 10c per game, two for 35c, while Association members bowl for 10c a game.

At Friday evening's meeting, the schedule for the three leagues will be drawn and started immediately.

**Tomorrow Night to
be Big One for All
Brown Shoe Co. Men**

Tomorrow evening will be a big night for the employees of the Brown Shoe Company. The employees who are members of the "Y" have secured the use of the whole building for all evening and there will be bowling, swimming, basketball and, in fact, everything will be open to every employee of the Company.

Committees were appointed last week and the following program has been drawn up. It is expected that the Association is running very high throughout the whole factor.

Basket Ball 7:00 P. M. (Sharp)

Hand Knockers—C. Burgard, Capt., H. Kime, H. Nehring, J. Henderson, M. Burgard, J. Meyer.

Knock Harders—R. Stultz, Capt., C. Reisinger, J. Calkins, R. Willard, R. Cleary, P. Burgard.

Referee—S. A. Baird.

Bowling 8:00 P. M.

Maple Knockers—John Smith, Capt., P. Burgard, C. Gilroy, J. Calkins, C. Burgard.

Pin Splitters—C. Reisinger, Capt.,

**Blind Reader
to Speak Here
Wednesday Night**


Walter C. Gran, will read "The Sign of the Cross" in St. Paul's Lutheran church Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. There will be no admission charged; however an offering will be received.

Those who heard Sarah Wilmer read the "Sign of the Cross" should not fail to hear Mr. Gran's interpretation. The Daily Star of Minneapolis says, His poise is so perfect and his gestures are so natural and graceful it is hard to believe that this young man is totally blind.

He was not always blind, but had his sight long enough to have formed artistic tastes and an insatiable thirst for learning. He was graduated from North Dakota school for the blind in 1914. He has studied at the Northwestern School of Expression, the Columbia College of Expression, and the Crosse Continental College. In many ways he is a marvel. We find in Mr. Gran a scholar and an artist. His recitals are not only interesting and entertaining, but truly inspiring. But why keep you any longer you must come and hear him to appreciate his presentation.

Paul Ewurs, R. Stultz, W. Lowery, L. Gilbert.

Boxing 8:00 P. M.
McReynolds vs Spotts.
G. Ackert vs E. Busby.
K. Floyd vs R. Willard.
Referee—H. Mannon.

Wrestling 8:00 P. M.
W. Booth vs E. Jones.
J. Winters vs P. Ewurs.
Referee—E. A. Snapp.

**Volley Ballers Broke
Even in Rockford Game**

Two Volley Ball Teams from the Dixon "Y" went to Rockford Saturday evening and broke even on the games played. The first contest was

between Rockford's best and Dixon's best, handicapped by the absence of John Welles. Dixon won the first two games and the match by the scores of 15-1 and 15-9. The passing by Miller and the hard, consistent "spiking" by Potter were the bright spots of the two games.

The second match was between the second teams. This match went to Rockford, who won two straight, scoring 15-7 and 15-6.

OBITUARY

MARIE CLARA SORBE
(Contributed)

Marie Clara Sorbe was born in Dixon, January 4th, 1893 and passed away at the age of 22 years, 10 months and 28 days.

She was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. After finishing grade school she attended one and one half years at the high school and six months at Crippin's business college. From there she went to work at the Brown shoe factory where she was employed for five years. In July of the year 1923 she was taken ill, and suffered with a colic for the last two and one half years. On Wednesday, December 2nd, she submitted to an operation which lasted from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. While just becoming conscious, toxemia set in and brought about her sudden and unexpected death at 1:30 p. m.

She was of a sunny disposition and had many friends. She bore her lot without murmuring. She was always thankful for even the smallest gift. Two infant sisters preceded her in death. Those mourning her early passing are: her parents: five sisters, Mrs. Louise Jenkins, Minnie, Emma, of Seattle, Washington; Margaret and Clara; and three brothers, William of Denver, Colorado; Gustav and Edward.

The big program in the cure and prevention of sickness is supported by Christmas Seal Funds. The greater the sale the better the health program in your county.

Through the Christmas Seal the annual death from tuberculosis in Illinois, has been reduced from 133 deaths per 100,000 population in 1918 to 81 deaths per 100,000 population in 1924.

Put old "T. B." out of business. Buy more Christmas Seals and more Health Bonds.

**Rock Island Scrapper
Slugs Way to Decision**

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 8.—(AP)—Mike Dundee, Rock Island, slugged his way to the judge's decision over Bobby Garcia, Baltimore in a ten round bout last night. Dundee weighed 127 1/2 pounds and Garcia 127.


BY HEALTH SERVICE

Every community must depend on its citizens for public health service. It is a matter in which all share and to which all should contribute. The Christmas Seal is an opportunity. Everybody can buy. Seventy-five cents from each dollar raised remains in the community to be expended in local health work.

When you buy Christmas Seals and Health Bonds you buy health service. The more you buy, the greater the service. The sale of Christmas Seals makes possible the Nursing Service; Medical and Sanatorium Service; the Modern Health Crusade; Health Education in the Home and School; Open Air Schools, Nutrition Classes; health literature, speakers, plays, pageants, games, drills, posters, pictures, songs, etc.

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**Brief Summary of
Last Night's News**

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Senator Goff prepares unfavorable committee report on seating of Gerald P. Nye, radical republican Attorney General of North Dakota rules governor had no right to appoint him.

President Coolidge pleased with reception given in Chicago to his views on agriculture; farmers differ as to his speech.

Three British subjects arrested in Paris after capture of girl spy who confessed getting military information.

Business men go to Harrisburg for anthracite conference called by Governor Pinchot; Major Ingalls at Philadelphia says mine operators want unions strong enough to face facts.

New York dramatists charging that William Fox, movie producer, is trying to corner play market, take action at secret meeting.

Rev. A. B. Gregg, lecturer and reformer, convicted for sending obscene matter through mail in effort to oust Rev. W. C. Hicks from his pulpit.

Edward Fickinger, 18 year old farm boy of Cherokee, Iowa, accuses his school teacher sweetheart of shooting his rival.

Deposed boy emperor of China dangerously ill of pneumonia; 100,000 Manchurian Japanese closing shops in fear of battles to follow defeat of Marshal Chang Tso Lin at Mukden.

Body of R. P. Roehrbie, Chicagoan, who started from Maine to circumnavigate the globe in a 20 foot canoe, washed ashore in Chesapeake Bay after storm.

A SUGGESTION.

That would please any woman is a box of addressals. Come in and see our samples. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

Lodge News

**Spanish War Veterans
to Elect New Officers**

The annual election of officers of Wm. E. Baldwin Camp No. 23 U. S. W. V. will be held at the G. A. R. Hall this evening. Director Inspector Walter B. Taylor Jr. will deliver a travelogue of a Florida trip. Every Comrade is asked to attend.

**New Officers of Gyro
Club Installed Monday**

The Dixon Gyro club met last evening in the Guild rooms at St. Luke's church. The recently elected officers

were installed and several matters were presented for discussion and a brief program of activity outlined for the ensuing year.

NOTICE.
Addressals and Personal Seals are suitable for Christmas gifts. Order early of the B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

**Chicago to Seek Court
Dissolution of Decree**
Chicago, Dec. 8.—(AP)—Dissolution of the temporary injunction preventing Chicago from taking action to bar from the city milk not tested for tuberculosis, will be sought today in the Kane county court, Corporation Counsel Bush announced today.

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That is why we can sell them \$1.98 bu; Half bu, \$1.00. They are good apples. Extra fancy frosted cookies, lb. 25c. Plain Cookies 18c lb, 2 lbs. 35c. 2 1/2 lb. box Crackers 45c 2 lb. box Graham Crackers 38c Cabbage, pound 4c

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They are good quality high grade, sizes 15 to 50 watt, also colored lamps. See them. Price only 25c

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Flake Hominy, 3 lbs for.....25c
Chase & Sanborn Coffee and Tea, Club House Canned Goods.

MEAT DEPARTMENT

Prime Pot Roast18c, 20c
Prime Rib Roast, Boneless.....25c
Boiling Meat12 1/2c
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Bacon, sugar cured35c
Corn Beef, boneless22c
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"Bobbed Hair"
A DAZZLING MYSTERY STORY BY
TWENTY FAMOUS AUTHORS

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SYNOPSIS
Rather than announce her engagement, Connemara stole away from Aunt Celimena's Connecticut home last night. Now, in the morning, she finds herself in David Lacy's farmhouse, on Long Island. With her is Sweetie, a mysterious girl whom she met aboard a yacht. The girls are discussing their terrifying adventures when there appears suddenly Aunt Celimena herself, accompanied by her lawyer, Brewster. Their escort is Lacy.

CHAPTER XV—Continued

The Swede and his gang had taken prompt warning by the flight of Lacy and Sweetie, and had decamped for parts unknown—apparently taking Saltonstall Adams along, and leaving no addresses behind them. Lacy and the lawyer carried the burden of tattered silks and shattered nerves that was Aunt Celimena into the house and upstairs to Miss Liddy's room, where they deposited it gently on the bed to the tune of its own grunts and groans delivered in perfect jazz time.

Connemara and her prospective maid, hearing them on the stairs, and not being able to think of anything more original to do in the brief moment of reflection allowed them, plunged back into the wardrobe and sank into the oblivion of mothball-scented darkness.

Miss Liddy took one look at the remnant on the bed, observing in her best unattached manner, "If a woman her age must drink, you'd think she'd have enough sense to have it analyzed first," and left the room. Liddy's whole life consisted principally of leaving rooms. It



Lacy and the lawyer carried Aunt Celimena into the house.

gave her some place to go.

Later, when Lacy demanded anxiously of her what had become of the young lady whom he had brought to the house that morning, she was stubbornly noncommittal.

"I guess she just evaporated like all bad things do eventually," she said deliberately, and the thin lips tightened.

With a muttered observation, Lacy went into the library and stared at the smooth surface of the big desk. The three ten-dollar bills were gone!

Aunt Celimena, meanwhile, lay upstairs on Mrs. Parker's bed and indulged in the enjoyment of her recently acquired aches and pains. As she felt each bruise where the ropes had bitten into her flesh while she was tied up like a common or garden variety of everyday pirate victim, she compared herself to Joan of Arc and a few of the other great martyrs of history.

How could a girl with every reason to lead a normal and well-regulated life go so far astray as to get mixed up with smugglers, pirates, cave men, women of no reputation, and what not?

Where would it all lead to? And where was Connemara at this very minute? Perhaps she had run off with a band of Russian bomb throwers. Maybe at this very second she was flying through the air astride a church steeple that had been pried loose from the mother building by a stick of dynamite. True, Connemara had red hair. But that was not an excuse for anything and everything.

With her throbbing pains beating in perfect rhythm to the horrible thoughts running through her tired brain, she dozed off into a slumber fraught with demons and goblins such as never before inhabited a nightmare.

Connemara in the wardrobe, in such close contact with the reformed Sweetie, even where their positions

tions were equalized by the darkness and lack of air, still felt that aloofness that had been bred in her for many generations back. She wanted to help Sweetie, but in spite of that, she could not bring herself down to the other girl's level.

It flashed through her mind that maybe the fault was not entirely her own. Perhaps Sweetie was not altogether sincere in her desire to go straight. There seemed to be a small cloud hardly perceptible, casting a shadow athwart their bond of understanding.

When the stuffiness of their cooped-up quarters became unbearable, they opened the door the fraction of an inch and were greatly relieved to see Aunt Celimena sprawled out on the bed writhing in the throes of a delirious battle with pirates and corsairs. The girls decided to risk a hasty but silent flight.

They opened the door and took one step. But a mass of the housekeeper's clothing had dropped to the floor during their imprisonment and entwined itself about their feet. They had no time to notice this trivial, but nevertheless important circumstance.

Fate has a way of creating a joke and then making it seem more laughable by creating another joke right on top of the first.

Connemara was slightly in the lead and as she started the second step in her flight toward the door her feet did not function at all. She tripped over the mass of clothing on the floor. Sweetie who was close behind and going at the same speed, also tripped. Fate did not overlook a thing in arranging this little performance. The bed upon which Aunt Celimena slept lay directly in the path of the two girls. They flopped down—kerplunk—squarely on top of the sleeper just as that estimable lady was being attacked by fifteen thousand buccaneers. She was suddenly awake, filled with a justifiable desire to fight for her life.

Sheer numbers finally decided the encounter and Aunt Celimena stood face to face with Connemara. Or, rather, she lay face to face with Connemara.

"My God, Connemara!" she screamed, in a tone of voice that should have awakened the ancient kings of Egypt, and fell back in a dead faint.

Sweetie crouched in the corner, rubbing a sore spot on her arm with three fresh ten-dollar bills.

CHAPTER XVI

By George Barr McCutcheon

Now Bing Carrington had two separate and not very distinct objects in going overboard, one quite indefinite, the other more or less definite. First, he went over the rail into the water because he couldn't very well help himself, which was indefinite, and secondly, he had a hazy idea about securing help for his comrades, an object that became commendably definite with the long, cumbersome polo coat he had donned at the beginning of the chase in order to cover as well as possible the rather startling harlequin suit he had worn to the fancy dress party. He succeeded in shedding it, however, abandoning it to the waters of the Sound, a sacrifice made without the slightest compunction because he remembered that it did not belong to him at all but to Salt Adams, who had generously pressed it upon him when they started off in the motor.

After swimming for some ten or fifteen minutes, swiftly but cautiously, he decided it was safe to make for the shore, which he could distinguish close at hand. Presently he found a footing among the rocks and was soon threading his way among the trees, bound he knew not whither, except that reason told him he was sure to come to a road shortly if he kept on in the direction he was going. He was wet and cold but determined. In due time, as he had suspected, he came to a macadam driveway. A short distance ahead he distinguished the black shadow of a house. For this he dashed without hesitation and mounting the broad steps to a capacious veranda, was soon pressing the door button and rattling the great iron knocker. The house was in complete darkness. After a long wait a light appeared in the hall and the door was opened by a partially clad manservant.

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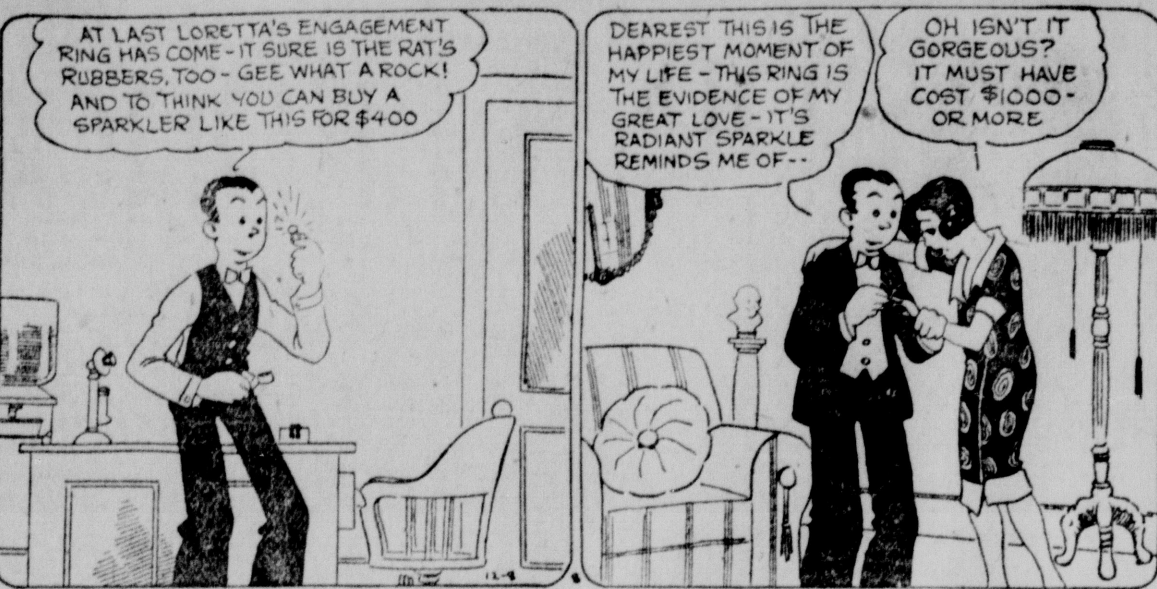
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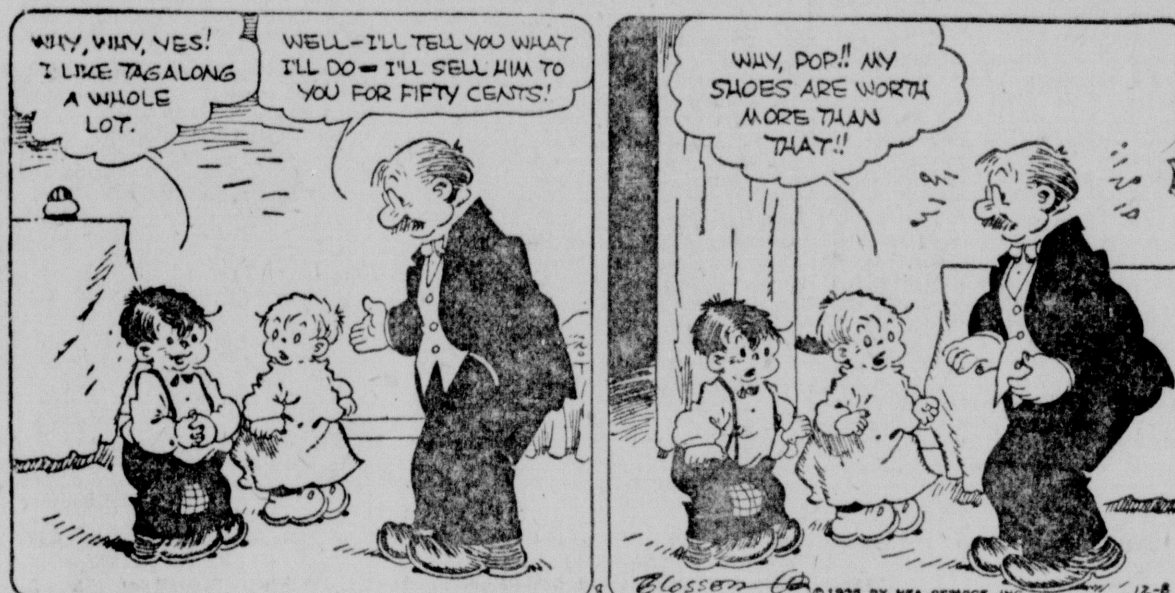
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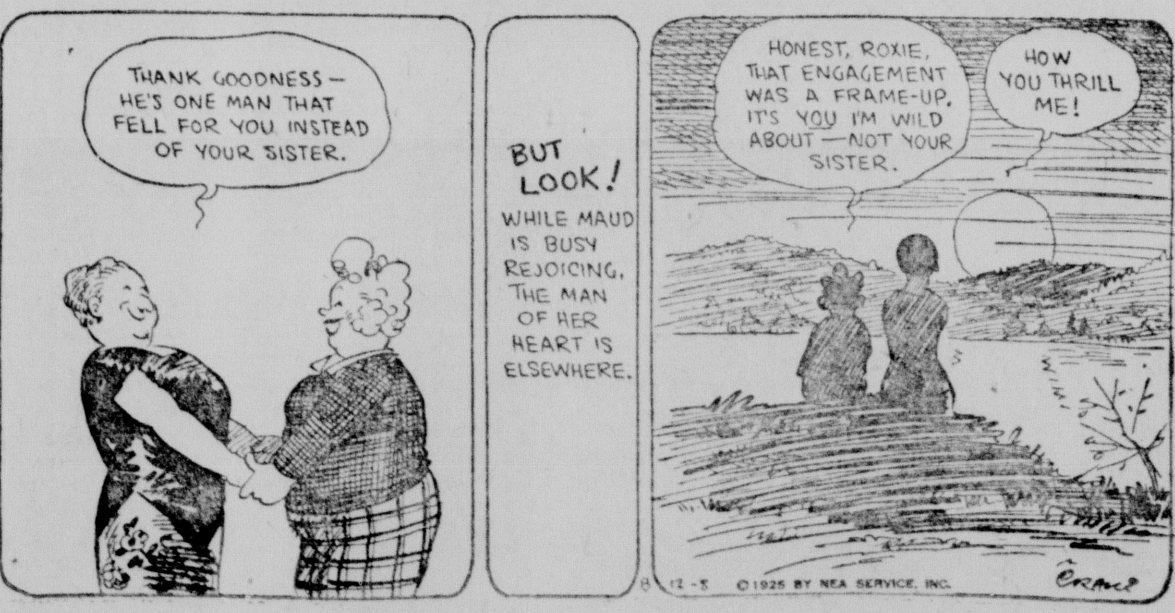
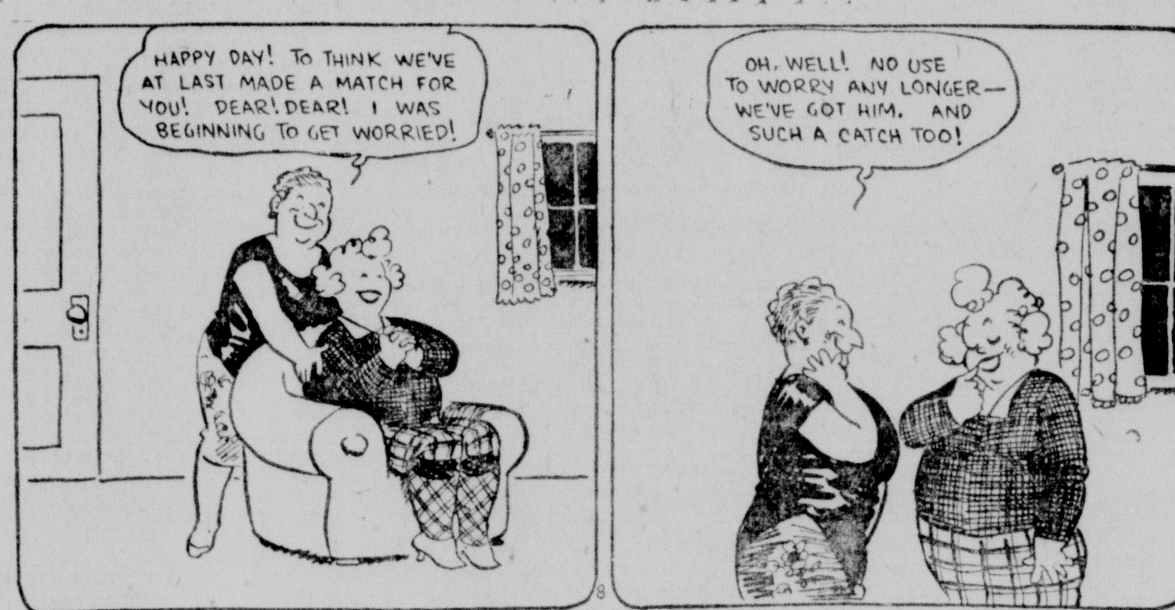
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Card of Thanks	10c per line
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FOR SALE—Duplicate Bridge Scores, 25c and 30c a set. Dixon Evening Telegraph.

FOR SALE—Auto and fire insurance. Come in and talk it over with me. H. U. Bardwell, Dixon, Ill.

FOR SALE—Florida land. If you are interested in the West Coast developments I will give you honest and reliable information. Now is the time to buy before prices soar. Ben T. Shaw, Crystal River or Homosassa, Florida.

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FOR SALE—Addressals make a very suitable gift for Christmas. They must be ordered early to assure delivery for Christmas. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Land in the Homosassa and Crystal River districts in Florida. If you are interested in a real bargain write me. I ask only a fair commission. Fair dealings. Ben T. Shaw, Crystal River, Fla.

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FOR SALE—A load of extra choice Jersey cows. T. B. tested. Will sell them private. Call Ralph Covert, N78, or Geo. Covert, 2R1160.

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FOR SALE—Four tube, IIA Radiola, new tube, new battery. Price \$40. Also set of Ford chains, Overdrive, new. A. Turner, 414 Boardman Place. Phone Y272.

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WANTED—We are paying highest prices for all kinds of junk, hides, wool and old automobiles. Get our prices before you sell. We call for orders promptly and guarantee satisfaction. Snow & Wienman. Phone 81. River St.

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WANTED—Your pictures to frame. Have a large line of moldings to select from. G. J. Reed, 707 Palmyra Ave.

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WANTED—Our subscribers to investigate the Accident Insurance Policy that they may procure as a subscriber to the Dixon Telegraph. Come in and ask us, or confer with our solicitors.

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CHANCERY. State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. In the Circuit Court, January term, A. D. 1926.

Patrick Mahaney, L. C. Will, Adah Wallace Weeks, Fred Weeks and William King.

Affidavit of non-residence of L. C. Will, Adah Wallace Weeks, Fred Weeks and Patrick Mahaney impleaded with the above defendants, having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendants that the Complainant filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, on the first day of December, A. D. 1925, and that thereupon a Summons issued out of said Court, returnable on the first Monday of the month of January, A. D. 1926, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said Court.

Dixon, Illinois, December 1st, 1925. Henry C. Warner, Complainant's Solicitor.

CONSERVATOR'S NOTICE. Estate of Thomas Duffy, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Conservator of the estate of Thomas Duffy, deceased here gives notice that he will appear before the Circuit Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the February term, on the first Monday in February next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 30th day of November, A. D. 1925. FRED D. DANA, Conservator.

John E. Erwin, Attorney. Dec 1-8-15

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BARBARA HAWLEY, 25, after teaching school three years, decides to go into newspaper work in order to see life. Her fiancé, BRUCE REYNOLDS, objects and she breaks with him. The next morning she awakens prepared to find a job on a newspaper.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

BARBARA'S eyes fell upon the picture of Bruce. With a plunge, she was out of bed and across the room. She grasped the silver frame and ripped the picture out of it. Another motion of her nervous fingers would have torn it across.

She hesitated, opened the lower drawer, and slipped the picture beneath the paper that lined it. Then she closed the drawer with a bang and began to dress.

She found breakfast waiting for her. Her mother greeted her brightly. "Sleep well, Bab?"

"Like a top, mother. Takes lots to keep me from eating or sleeping, you know. Life's too short to lie awake when you might be resting."

"I thought I heard the telephone ring in the night," Mrs. Hawley spoke hesitantly.

"You did, mother," replied Barbara, with a petulant note in her voice. "It was Bruce again. I told him there was no use."

"My, what a busy day this is going to be." She was obviously changing a disagreeable subject. "Do you suppose I'll find a job?"

"Of course you will, Bab, but may be not the first day. When you go into the Telegraph office, don't forget to tell Mr. McDermott you are Edward Hawley's daughter. He knew your father."

Barbara was eating toast and marmalade with relish. Her mother, watching her, nodded her head almost imperceptibly.

"Of course you'll get something, Barbara. You always come out on top, you know."

Barbara nibbled the last crumb and rose from the table.

The Evanston Interurban station was crowded this morning, chiefly with chattering boys and girls going into Chicago to school. They were much like the youngsters with whom Barbara had labored for three weary years of school teaching. As she looked at them, she was doubly thankful that that chapter was closed.

A faded woman across the aisle looked enviously at Barbara's happy eyes and at the crisply smart blue suit and the tilted velvet turban. Barbara was the picture of triumphant youth.

She had decided to try the Telegraph first, because its managing editor knew something of her father.

When the elevator stopped and she stepped out into the editorial room, heads were up on every side. Barbara was conscious of smoke, a clatter of typewriter instruments, ejaculations and a crowd of people rushing in and out of doors.

The place was terrifying, but she went through the gate and asked directions of a girl seated at a switchboard.

When she turned away, Barbara saw a woman watching her fixedly across a cluttered desk in a nearby corner. The woman might have been six or seven years older than Barbara. Her face was drawn and her mouth thin and supercilious.

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LONGWORTH NEW SPEAKER HOUSE DESPITE FIGHT

Got Majority Despite In- surgents' Fight Against Him

Washington, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Nicholas Longworth, republican of Ohio, today was elected speaker of the new house.

He received the necessary majority of all votes cast on the first ballot despite the refusal of the republican insurgents to support him.

The insurgents voted for Henry Allen Cooper of Wisconsin, who led the LaFollette attack on President Coolidge and his policies at the Cleveland republican convention last year. The democratic candidate was Finis Garrett of Tennessee, house democratic floor leader.

Longworth received 229 out of the 420 votes cast. The vote for Garrett was 173 and for Cooper 13. Five voted present.

The thirteen voting for Cooper were: Beck, Browne, Frear, Lampert, Nelson, Peavey, Schafer, Schneider and Volght, all republicans of Wisconsin; Kvale, Independent, of Minnesota; LaGuardia, socialist of New York; Sinclair, republican of North Dakota and Wefald, farmer-labor, Minnesota.

Longworth Absent

Both Cooper and Garrett voted "present" but Longworth remained outside the house chamber while the voting was in progress, and when his election was announced he was brought in on the arm of his democratic opponent, while the members stood and applauded. Mr. Garrett then introduced the new speaker with this eulogy:

"He is intellectually and temperamentally fitted. He is a wise and gifted character and a gentleman beyond reproach. He stands splendidly equipped to succeed the long line of his worthy predecessors."

In his inaugural address, Mr. Longworth divided the duties of his office into two classes—parliamentary and political.

"The first I propose to administer with most rigid impartiality," he said.

"The political side, to my mind involves a question of party service. I believe it to be the duty of the speaker, standing squarely on the platform of his party, to assist, as he properly can, the enactment of legislation in accordance with the declared principles of his party."

Good Thoughts for Good People

Let us watch every thought, lest it lead us into selfishness, dishonesty, discouragement, anger, fear, hatred, egotism, intolerance, sensuality, and pride. These traits of mortal thinking are the little switches that misroute humanity toward despair and gloom.

The Christian Science Monitor. Life is a place of service, and in that service one has to suffer a great deal that is hard to bear, but more often to experience a great deal of joy.

Tolstol. Strength to perform great tasks, comes to those who have their heart in their work.

Calvin Coolidge. Mere duty does not profit. It is that which we volunteer over and above duty, the loving service, we give, not the cold letter of that for which we receive wage.

Ye cannot serve both God and mammon. Woodrow Wilson. Christ Jesus. Never idle a moment, but thrifty and thoughtful of others.

Longfellow. And if it seem evil unto you to serve the Lord, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the flood, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell; but as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.

Joshua.

ABE MARTIN



"I do wish poor old Lewis Stone would marry some nice, sensible woman near his own age, for I believe he'd make a good husband," says Mrs. Tilford Moots, our leadin' movie fan. Nat Pusey died this mornin' leavin' a daughter somewhere an' a boy nearin' bandit age.

Grain Exports Increase Greatly During Week

Washington, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Grain exports last week from the United States were 2,521,000 bushels as compared with 1,112,000 bushels the previous week.

Commerce department figures today gave the following comparisons between last week's exports and those of the week before.

Wheat 1,644,000 bushels against 539,000 bushels.

Rye, 9,000 against none.

Oats, 273,000 against 157,000.

Corn, 235,000 against 271,000.

Barley, 210,000 against 145,000.

North American wheat flour exports were 235,000 barrels as compared with 116,000 barrels the week before.

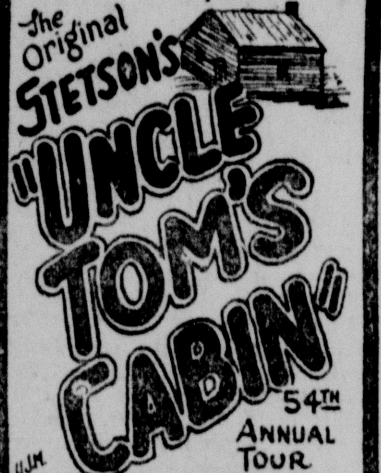
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Famous Clergyman of Baptist Church is Dead

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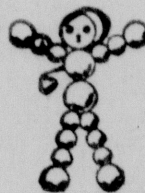
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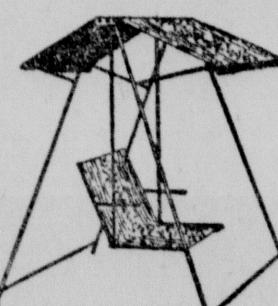
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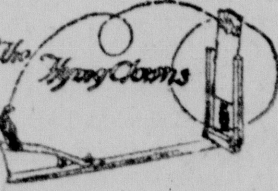
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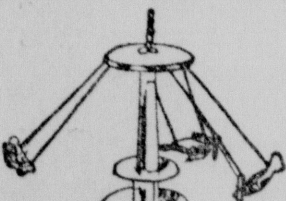
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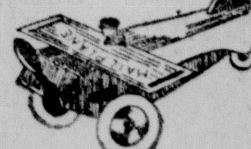
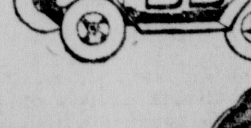
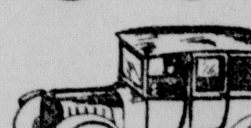
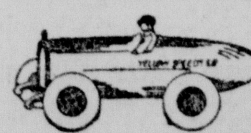
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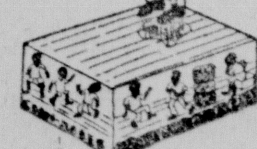
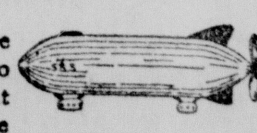
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